

1 wanted to watch it bad enough, you would put with it. We
2 never had really good reception from Channel 6, but we did
3 watch it on occasion.

4 Q And it says you, you did not watch Channel 8 very
5 often.

6 A No.

7 Q Okay --

8 A It is a duplication; it's an ABC channel and 15 is
9 basically the same thing.

10 Q Okay, did you receive Channel 15 fairly good before --
11 fairly well before --

12 A Perfectly.

13 Q -- KOKS came on?

14 A Perfectly. We were within line of sight of Channel 15.
15 There was no problems at all.

16 Q Okay, in paragraph 4 of your testimony, Mrs. Stewart,
17 you mention a, a visit that Mrs. Stewart made --

18 JUDGE STIRMER: Mrs. Freeman.

19 MR. DUNNE: I'm sorry?

20 JUDGE STIRMER: Mrs. Freeman.

21 MR. DUNNE: I'm sorry. Am I confusing names again?
22 These afternoon sessions are getting to me, Your Honor.

23 BY MR DUNNE:

24 Q Excuse me, Mrs. Freeman. In paragraph 4 of your
25 testimony, you make reference to a time when Mrs. Stewart came

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1 to your house, is that correct?

2 A Yes. She did.

3 Q Okay, and she installed a flat lead-in wire on your TV
4 set?

5 A Yes, she did.

6 Q And where was that TV set?

7 A In our living room.

8 Q Okay, were you present at the time?

9 A Yes, I was.

10 Q Were you watching Mrs. Stewart when she did this?

11 A Yes, I was.

12 Q Did she and your husband -- did you have any conver-
13 sations with Mrs. Stewart at that time?

14 A I don't know whether I did or not. I don't remember
15 that. My husband did.

16 Q Okay, did that filter do anything?

17 A Absolutely nothing.

18 Q Okay, and there came a time, it says, "It is my under-
19 standing that KOKS installed a filter subsequently."

20 A I don't remember that. I don't know whether she came
21 when I was away, or whether I simply don't remember it.

22 Q It might have been possible that Mrs. Stewart came to
23 the home when only your husband, Clyde, was there?

24 A It's possible.

25 Q But you don't know because you don't remember him

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1 | telling you that, is that correct?

2 | A I don't remember.

3 | Q Okay, but you do -- do you have any recollection that a
4 | filter was installed?

5 | A I actually don't.

6 | Q Well, is there something strange hanging on your TV
7 | set, Mrs. Freeman?

8 | A No, there isn't.

9 | Q Did you take a filter off that you were --

10 | A I didn't.

11 | Q Okay.

12 | A No, I actually went and looked to see if there was a
13 | filter on it, because I saw that, and I thought, "Well, that's
14 | odd." But there is no filter on it and hasn't been.

15 | Q Okay, so you don't recall if there was a filter on it.
16 | Your testimony says "the filter did no good."

17 | A My husband's testimony -- or the statement he signed
18 | said the filter did no good, but I don't have any memory of
19 | it.

20 | Q No memory, okay. Mrs. Freeman, if you don't have any
21 | memory, if you don't recall, you don't recall. When -- during
22 | the time period -- what time period are we talking about here
23 | when Mrs. Stewart came to your house, do you recall?

24 | A I think it was in the summer of 1989.

25 | Q Okay. Do you have any recollection of your husband's

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1 calling -- excuse me, do you have any recollection of your
2 husband telling you that he called the station after the
3 installation of a second filter?

4 A No.

5 Q Did -- was the interference -- strike that. Was the
6 picture that you were receiving on your TV set, Mrs.,
7 Mrs. Freeman -- now, we're talking about the same set -- let's
8 talking about the set that Mrs. Stewart put the -- first
9 filter on, if we can. Was the reception on that set basically
10 the same throughout this entire period of time?

11 A Do you mean after they went on the air?

12 Q Yes.

13 A Yes. It was very good before, and pretty crummy after.

14 Q Okay, when you -- okay. One -- once your, your picture
15 reception got worse, for example, were there times where it
16 got better for a while, and then worse for a while? Or was
17 the, was the picture pretty much the same all the time?

18 A Well, when they're off the air, it's fine.

19 Q No, but --

20 A Otherwise it's pretty much the same.

21 Q Okay. There weren't days or times when the inter-
22 ference would be worse than the other.

23 A Once in a while if the weather conditions are just
24 right, if it's -- it seems like fog helps the picture, but
25 that's very occasionally.

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1 Q Okay, and you have no recollection of your husband's
2 calling the, the -- KOKS and -- subsequent to any installation
3 of the, of the second filter, then?

4 A No.

5 Q Mrs. Freeman, there's, there's been testimony in the
6 record that Mr. Freeman called KOKS after the installation of
7 a second filter and said that the interference was better at
8 times and worse at times. Do you have any recollection, do
9 you -- can you say categorically he didn't make that call?
10 You just don't remember.

11 A I just don't remember.

12 Q Okay.

13 (Pause.)

14 Q Mrs. Freeman, has, has your reception improved at all
15 since KOKS came on the air?

16 A No.

17 Q It's exactly the same now as it was in 1988, as far as
18 you can see?

19 A Well, 1988, several years ago, as far as I'm concerned,
20 yes, it is basically the same, sometimes worse, sometimes a
21 little bit better. There's times when the picture just goes
22 completely blank.

23 (Pause.)

24 JUDGE STIRMER: Mrs. Freeman, how, how close to the
25 KOKS tower is your house located?

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1 WITNESS: About three-quarters of a mile, I would
2 think.

3 JUDGE STIRMER: And you've lived in that area for 38
4 years?

5 WITNESS: That's correct.

6 JUDGE STIRMER: In 1985, '86, '87, would you describe
7 the area around that tower that was erected '88 to be a popu-
8 lated or unpopulated area?

9 WITNESS: There were several homes there. There are
10 homes there that have been there for 50 years. There are some
11 businesses that have been -- had been there almost that long.
12 There's several churches in the area, there's -- let's see,
13 between them and my house there's one, two, three -- five,
14 six, seven -- there's, I think, eight houses in that three
15 quarters of a mile that were there when they built, at least
16 that many.

17 JUDGE STIRMER: That's in the direction towards your
18 home?

19 WITNESS: It's a straight line.

20 JUDGE STIRMER: All right.

21 BY MR DUNNE:

22 Q Now, Mrs. Freeman, do you have a booster amplifier
23 on --

24 A No, I don't have.

25 Q If I can refer you to Mass Media Bureau Exhibit 1,

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1 page 45. Here's 35; here's 45. Okay?

2 A Okay.

3 Q Your testimony refers to a visit that a Mr. Ramage made
4 to your house, Mrs. Freeman, is that correct?

5 A Um-hum.

6 COURT REPORTER: I need for you to say "yes" or "no."

7 WITNESS: Oh. Yes.

8 COURT REPORTER: Thank you.

9 WITNESS: I'm sorry.

10 MR. DUNNE: Thank you, Mrs. Freeman.

11 BY MR DUNNE:

12 Q And you recall Mr. Ramage being at your house?

13 A Yes, I do.

14 Q Okay, and at the bottom of Mr. Ramage's report, it
15 notes, "The other television utilized, utilized -- utilizes a
16 booster amplifier."

17 A The Emerson TV?

18 Q It says the -- no, it says -- well, what does it say
19 there?

20 A Well, let's see. I have a little 13-inch TV in my
21 bedroom, and I assume that's the one he was referring to.

22 Q Okay, so you -- have a booster on that television
23 set --

24 A Yes.

25 Q -- correct?

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1 A Um-hum.

2 JUDGE STIRMER: This report says that the Magnavox was
3 being used temporarily by you --

4 WITNESS: It was my daughter's.

5 JUDGE STIRMER: -- at that time.

6 WITNESS: At that time, and was using it. When she
7 moved away from home, I went back to using my other set.

8 BY MR DUNNE:

9 Q Okay, so your other set is the 13-inch in your bedroom?

10 A No. No. My other set is a 19-inch, and I don't even
11 know what brand it is.

12 Q Okay, so it's not noted on this --

13 A No.

14 Q -- this report here.

15 A No.

16 Q So that at present you have two television sets?

17 A Yes.

18 Q One's the 19-inch television set you described?

19 A Um-hum, that's right.

20 Q Was that television set in, in your home when
21 Mrs. Stewart first visited back in 1988? Or 1989, excuse me.

22 A I'm not absolutely sure. We bought a new television
23 set. Yes, I would think it probably was, because we bought it
24 in April of 1989.

25 Q And do you know when the, the -- it says that a booster

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1 amplifier -- you said the booster amplifier was on the
2 13-inch, is that correct?

3 A That's correct.

4 Q Is that the, the TV that KOKS put the filter on when
5 they came --

6 A No.

7 Q -- and did the --

8 A No.

9 Q They put the TV -- the filter on the other TV.

10 A On the other TV. No, they didn't put anything on that
11 one. It's, it's a little black and white.

12 Q Okay. Okay, I noticed in that report, Mr. Ramage's
13 report, the field strength at this location was higher than at
14 any other location visited. That's referring to your home,
15 Mrs. Freeman. At your -- how far away from the KOKS --

16 A About three-quarters of a mile, I think. I live a
17 quarter of a mile from the highway, 67, and I don't know
18 exactly how far it is on the other side of 67 to their tower
19 but it's not over a half a mile.

20 Q How close are you to the highway patrol station?

21 A I don't know. In a straight line, probably about the
22 same distance.

23 Q Okay. Have you ever seen TV interference -- inter-
24 ference on your TV from the highway patrol?

25 A Yes, I can tell the difference in KOKS and the highway

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1 patrol. The highway patrol quits.

2 Q Mrs. Freeman, I don't have any further questions of
3 you. Thank you for coming.

4 JUDGE STIRMER: Do you -- wait, wait just one moment.

5 WITNESS: Oh.

6 JUDGE STIRMER: Do you have any redirect, Mr. Shook?

7 MR. SHOOK: Yes.

8 REDIRECT EXAMINATION

9 BY MR. SHOOK:

10 Q Mrs. Freeman, do you have any knowledge as to when the
11 booster amplifier that's reflected in the Ramage report, which
12 is Mass Media Exhibit 1, page 45, was purchased?

13 A I have no idea. Probably my husband bought it and put
14 it on there. I have no idea of when, when he did it.

15 MR. SHOOK: All right, Your Honor, no further ques-
16 tions.

17 JUDGE STIRMER: Mr. Dunne, do you have anything on the
18 basis of that question?

19 MR. DUNNE: No, Your Honor, I do not.

20 JUDGE STIRMER: All right. Thank you very much,
21 Mrs. Freeman. You're excused.

22 MR. SHOOK: I'll go and see who's next.

23 MR. DUNNE: Can we take a short, short break for a
24 minute?

25 JUDGE STIRMER: All right.

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1 (Whereupon, a brief recess was taken.)

2 JUDGE STIRMER: On the record.

3 MR. SHOOK: The Bureau calls as its next witness
4 Joanne Gray.

5 JUDGE STIRMER: Miss Gray, would you please rise and
6 let me swear you in?

7 WITNESS: Um-hum.

8 JUDGE STIRMER: Please raise your right hand.
9 Whereupon,

10 JOANNE GRAY

11 having first been duly sworn was called as a witness herein
12 and was examined and testified as follows:

13 JUDGE STIRMER: Would you please have a seat, ma'am?
14 Miss Gray, your written testimony has been received in evi-
15 dence in this proceeding, and counsel has requested your
16 appearance for cross-examination and that's the purpose of
17 your being here today.

18 WITNESS: All right, sir.

19 JUDGE STIRMER: Mr. Dunne?

20 MR. DUNNE: Thank you, Your Honor.

21 CROSS EXAMINATION

22 BY MR DUNNE:

23 Q Good afternoon, Mrs. Gray. My name is Joseph Dunne.
24 I'm the attorney for KOKS. I'll be asking you a few questions
25 about your written testimony, as I indicated. I'm not going

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1 to be keeping you long, I don't think. When I ask you a
2 question if you don't hear me or you don't understand me,
3 please let us know. Our purpose here is to get your accurate
4 and, and complete testimony.

5 A All right, sir.

6 Q So just stop me if you don't understand or you don't
7 hear me, all right? Okay, Mrs. Gray, it mentions that you
8 installed your antenna 23 years ago. Is that the antenna you
9 currently have on your house?

10 A Yes, sir, it is.

11 Q And it's oriented toward Channel 12?

12 A Yes, sir.

13 Q Is that -- when you said "it has to be turned by hand,"
14 you don't have a rotor, I take it.

15 A That's correct.

16 Q And it's tuned toward -- turned toward Channel 12,
17 obviously, so you can receive Channel 12 signals stronger, is
18 that correct?

19 A Well, correct but -- well, yes, that's right.

20 Q Okay, your testimony is that Channel 8 has the weakest
21 picture. That's in paragraph 3, the last line of your, your
22 testimony.

23 A Right.

24 Q Okay, that describes your TV reception prior to the
25 time KOKS came on the air, is that correct, Mrs. Gray?

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1 A That's correct, sir.

2 Q And to your understanding, why did Channel 8 have the
3 weakest picture, if you know?

4 A No, not really. It wasn't -- it was the weakest
5 picture but we usually -- I would say the majority of the
6 time, we got a good picture on it.

7 Q Okay. And how did you get Channel 6?

8 A Off of our antenna, and it was very clear. It was as
9 clear as Channel 12 and 15 were.

10 Q Okay, if I can refer you to the middle of -- four lines
11 up from the bottom of paragraph 3.

12 A Um-hum.

13 Q It says, "Channel 6 did not come in as clearly as --"

14 A It didn't -- when that would happen, most usually we
15 would have a storm that was moving through the area to the
16 east of Poplar Bluff, and that was when we would have inter-
17 ference on Channel 6, but as soon as the storm would pass, the
18 front would pass, why, our reception was good.

19 Q Okay. Now, your testimony says, "When KOKS went on the
20 air, I called the station to complain."

21 A That's --

22 Q Do you remember with whom you spoke, Mrs. Gray?

23 A No, I do not, sir.

24 Q Do you know if it was a male or a female?

25 A It was a man.

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- 1 Q But you don't know who it was with whom you spoke.
- 2 A No, sir, I do not.
- 3 Q Now, when KOKS began broadcasting, you said, "I immed-
- 4 iately lost the signals for Channels 6 and 8." Did --
- 5 A That's --
- 6 Q When you said you lost the signal for Channel 6 -- it
- 7 was gone?
- 8 A It, it was completely gone. You know, all I would get
- 9 was snow. Occasionally, you could get a form and figure, but
- 10 it was mostly snow. The picture itself, you know, you could
- 11 see it see it tearing on the television --
- 12 Q When you say "tearing" do you mean the lines were
- 13 coming and going across the screen?
- 14 A Yes. Yes, and with lots of snow on it.
- 15 Q Okay. When you -- and was -- when you observed
- 16 Channel 8, did you see the same kind of picture with the lines
- 17 going across --
- 18 A Correct.
- 19 Q -- the screen?
- 20 A Correct.
- 21 Q Okay.
- 22 A We also would get the audio from KOKS on it.
- 23 Q On Channel 6?
- 24 A On Channel 6, yes, sir.
- 25 Q Any other channels, Mrs. Gray?

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1 A On Channel 12 at times, on 15, and on, and on 8.

2 Q Okay. Now, you said, "I called the station --" this is
3 paragraph 5 of your testimony -- "a lady whose name I do not
4 know came to the house shortly thereafter." When was this,
5 Mrs. Gray, if you recall?

6 A It was in February of '89. This was after I had filled
7 out a complaint in '88.

8 Q Um-hum.

9 A And I have -- had a phone call from KOKS; a lady called
10 and set up an appointment to come to my house, which she did,
11 and she put a FM filter on our main television. I'll say
12 "main"; it was the one that we used in the family room, and
13 she actually admitted that it did not help the picture -- the
14 filter did not help. I also --

15 Q When you say -- excuse me, Mrs. Gray.

16 A Yes.

17 Q When you say "a lady," is -- do you see the lady here
18 today?

19 A Sir, that was too long ago. I, I'm not -- I wouldn't
20 want to say "yes" or "no."

21 Q Okay. You don't remember the lady?

22 A No.

23 Q And you don't remember the name that she gave you?

24 A That's the only time that I had any contact with her.

25 Q Okay, and this lady came to the house, essentially,

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1 installed a filter on your TV set, and it affected your recep-
2 tion at all, or improve anything?

3 A No.

4 Q There was no improvement at all, that, is that your
5 testimony?

6 A Not -- that's correct.

7 Q Okay, it says, your testimony says, Mrs. Gray, that you
8 turned on one of your TV's -- oh, excuse me, one of your
9 radios.

10 A Correct.

11 Q Okay, do you recall which one?

12 A It's -- yes, it's a Magnavox console. radio and phono-
13 graph, and I turned it on and --

14 Q Okay. Let -- why don't you --

15 A Okay.

16 Q Let's go to -- save us some time, if we can. Okay,
17 when you, when -- what was your complaint with respect to that
18 radio, if any?

19 A You got a -- KOKS was -- you could hear it clear across
20 the FM dial, and with a, at times, on and off, a buzz sound.

21 Q Okay, when you say on, on occasion "on and off a buzz
22 sound --"

23 A Yeah, it would, it would just --

24 Q Was the buzz sound you heard, Mrs. Gray, on the FM dial
25 or the AM dial?

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1 A On the AM dial, and on the FM dial you could hear KOKS
2 clear across the FM dial.

3 Q Okay, when this lady was there, did you turn on the
4 radio for her?

5 A Yes.

6 Q And you turned on the radio on the AM dial, did you
7 not?

8 A Yes.

9 Q Okay, and then was the buzz there?

10 A I think so, yes.

11 Q And do you recall what the lady said to you, if any-
12 thing?

13 A She told me that there wasn't anything she could do;
14 she would have to talk to the engineer about it.

15 Q Mrs. Gray, if I may refer your attention to -- your
16 exhibit, page 7?

17 A Yes, sir.

18 Q Okay, I notice in, in -- on page 7 of this, the sta-
19 tions that you circled are -- 6 and 8, is that correct?

20 A Right.

21 Q And that was in December of '88?

22 A Yes.

23 Q And then in, in, in February of 1989, 6 and 8 are
24 circled and 12 was added.

25 A Right.

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1 Q Was there anything that changed between, you know, the
2 first petition and the second?

3 A Well, we began to notice more interference on
4 Channel 12, sir.

5 Q Okay, so the interference changed?

6 A Yes.

7 Q And got worse.

8 A Right.

9 Q All right, at any time in the future did it get better
10 on Channel 12?

11 A Not really.

12 (Pause.)

13 Q Okay, Mrs. Gray, when the KOKS representative came out
14 to your house, and again, you don't have any distinct recol-
15 lection when this occurred, like January '89, February '89?

16 A I would -- I'm saying February '89; it was in the
17 winter, you know, of '89.

18 Q Well, let's put it this way. Your first complaint is
19 dated in December and your second complaint is dated in the
20 end -- in February.

21 A Um-hum.

22 Q Did the KOKS representative come to you, your house,
23 before you, you sent in the second complaint or after the
24 second complaint? If you recall.

25 A I would -- probably after the first complaint. I, I

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- 1 can't be too sure of that. I believe --
- 2 Q That's all right, Mrs. Gray.
- 3 A But I think that's correct.
- 4 Q To the best of your recollection.
- 5 A To the best of my knowledge, yes, sir.
- 6 Q Okay, and your testimony is that the, the filter she
- 7 was -- that was installed made no improvements on, on your
- 8 reception --
- 9 A No, sir, it did not.
- 10 Q -- anyhow.
- 11 A No, sir, it did not.
- 12 Q Now, Mrs., Mrs. Gray, you live, you say, 2 miles south
- 13 of the KOKS antenna?
- 14 A Yes, sir.
- 15 Q Southeast, south/southeast.
- 16 A Well, yes. Just a very short southeast, but it's, it's
- 17 about 2 miles southeast --
- 18 Q Okay. Okay.
- 19 A -- of their antenna.
- 20 Q Okay, now I'm trying to orient myself --
- 21 A Uh-huh.
- 22 Q -- being a stranger. That's further away from the, the
- 23 highway patrol tower than KOKS, isn't it? The highway patrol
- 24 tower is north?
- 25 A Yes.

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1 Q Okay, so you're further down this direction.

2 A Yes, the highway patrol station is just a little --
3 from my house it's a little further north than KOKS' -- or
4 their tower. I think I'm correct.

5 Q Mrs. Gray, if you recall, when the KOKS representative
6 was in your home, okay -- and this goes back, I know, some
7 time -- do you recall making a specific complaint that KOKS
8 was interfering with your FM stations?

9 A Yes, sir.

10 Q That was a specific complaint? I mean, you specifi-
11 cally said, "I'm having problems with KOKS --"

12 A Well, I turned the radio on, yes, and showed, you know,
13 what was happening.

14 Q Okay. Mrs. Gray, your -- but I believe your testimony,
15 Mrs. Gray, was that you turned on the AM band and showed
16 her -- showed the lady the buzz on the AM band.

17 A Well, yes, but I -- well, I might not have. I, I won't
18 testify yes or no to that, but I did turn my radio on and
19 show, you know -- so she could hear the buzz on the radio.

20 Q Okay. Mrs. Gray, I kept my promise. I have no further
21 questions of you.

22 JUDGE STIRMER: Let me ask you a question, Mrs. Gray.
23 You've lived in this area for 23 years?

24 WITNESS: Yes, sir.

25 JUDGE STIRMER: How would you describe the area around

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1 the KOKS transmitter site back in 1985, '86, '87, '88? Was it
2 a populated or non-populated area?

3 WITNESS: Where -- do you mean where the station is or
4 where their, their --

5 JUDGE STIRMER: Where there is tower is located.

6 WITNESS: -- tower is? It was, it was populated back
7 then, yes. I mean, it was -- there were many residents in
8 that area.

9 JUDGE STIRMER: There were.

10 WITNESS: Yes, sir.

11 JUDGE STIRMER: All right. Questions?

12 MR. SHOOK: Yes.

13 REDIRECT EXAMINATION

14 BY MR. SHOOK:

15 Q Mrs. Gray, I would like to -- direct your attention to
16 page 9 of your testimony?

17 A Yes, sir.

18 Q Now, a question was put to you from counsel for KOKS
19 and asked you to try to ascertain, or pinpoint, when it was
20 that the KOKS representative came to your house, and I'd like
21 to direct your attention to the bottom of page 9, and ask you
22 to read that and ask, ask whether that -- reflects the -- no,
23 wait a minute -- refreshes -- can't talk any more -- refreshes
24 your recollection as to --

25 A "On February 21st, 1989, a representative from station

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1 KOKS came to our home. She put on an FM filter on the TV. It
2 did not improve our reception on TV Channels 6, 8, or 12.
3 They remained snowy and the picture tears. Nothing was done
4 as far as my radios were concerned. An AM radio, the only
5 sound audible is a loud buzz. I can get two local stations
6 with some clarity; the remainder is nothing but a buzz.
7 Something must be done with this radio station. It is not
8 fair so many people are denied the pleasure of their TV's and
9 radios." And it's dated February the 23rd, 1989.

10 Q And you remember this as having taken place?

11 A Yes, sir.

12 MR. SHOOK: No further questions, Your Honor.

13 JUDGE STIRMER: Do you have any?

14 MR. DUNNE: I have no redirect, Your Honor.

15 JUDGE STIRMER: All right, thank you very much,
16 Mrs. Gray.

17 WITNESS: Um-hum.

18 JUDGE STIRMER: You're excused.

19 WITNESS: Thank you.

20 COURT REPORTER: Off the record, Your Honor.

21 (Off the record.)

22 JUDGE STIRMER: Mr. Shook, do we have another witness?

23 MR. SHOOK: Yes, I do, Your Honor.

24 JUDGE STIRMER: All right.

25 MR. SHOOK: It's Mrs. I. Jean Hillis.

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1 JUDGE STIRMER: Would you please come forward and be
2 sworn?

3 Whereupon,

4 I. JEAN HILLIS

5 having first been duly sworn was called as a witness herein
6 and was examined and testified as follows:

7 JUDGE STIRMER: Would you please have a seat, ma'am?
8 Miss Hillis, your written, sworn testimony has been received
9 in evidence in this proceeding and counsel has requested your
10 appearance for cross-examination, and that's the purpose why
11 you're here today. Mr. Dunne?

12 MR. DUNNE: Thank you, Your Honor.

13 CROSS EXAMINATION

14 BY MR DUNNE:

15 Q Good afternoon, Mrs. Hillis. My name is Joseph Dunne.
16 I'm counsel for Calvary Educational Broadcasting in this case.
17 I'm going to be asking you a few questions about your written
18 testimony which you submitted in this proceeding. I'm going
19 to be asking you some questions. If I -- you don't understand
20 the question or can't hear the question, please let, let us
21 know. Our purpose here is to get your accurate testimony and
22 not to confuse you. So let us know. I also want to apologize
23 in advance. I've been calling everybody by the wrong name as
24 the afternoon wore on, and if I do that inadvertently, believe
25 me, you have my apologies. Mr. Shook will correct me, I'm

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1 sure. Mrs. Hillis, how -- you say you've lived in Poplar
2 Bluff for 23 years? How long have you lived at your address?

3 A I've lived at my present address 23 years.

4 Q You've lived at your present -- so -- okay. Okay, and
5 you say that's 700 feet from the KOKS antenna?

6 A Approximately. I think it's a little bit less than
7 that.

8 Q Okay, and in which direction is that?

9 A The --

10 Q As you're going up the hill towards the Highway 67? Is
11 that the direction your house is located?

12 A I am west of the tower.

13 Q You're west of the tower.

14 A Yes, directly west.

15 Q Okay, so you're essentially across the road from the
16 tower.

17 A Yes.

18 Q Mrs. Hillis, prior to KOKS going on the air, what sort
19 of reception did you receive from Channel 6, on Channel 6?

20 A Very good.

21 Q It was very good at your house.

22 A Yes.

23 Q Do you know -- do you have any idea how far Channel 6
24 is from your house?

25 A I'd say approximately 100 miles.

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- 1 Q But you received good, good reception on Channel 6?
- 2 A Yes.
- 3 Q It was a watchable, viewable picture.
- 4 A Very watchable, yes.
- 5 Q Okay, and you also received Channel 6 -- or, excuse me,
- 6 Channel 8?
- 7 A Yes.
- 8 Q And Channel 12 and 15?
- 9 A Yes.
- 10 Q At the time KOKS came on the air, did you have an
- 11 antenna?
- 12 A A regular television antenna?
- 13 Q A television antenna.
- 14 A Yes, I did.
- 15 Q Okay, and that was located on your roof?
- 16 A Yes.
- 17 Q Okay, was that a, a tunable antenna? In other words,
- 18 was it connected to a rotor?
- 19 A Yes.
- 20 Q Okay, so if you wanted, if you wanted to move your
- 21 antenna, you could just move it around with your rotor, is
- 22 that correct?
- 23 A Yes.
- 24 Q And, Mrs. Hillis, before KOKS came on the air, to
- 25 receive Channel 8, you had to tune -- move your antenna around

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